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: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR

AUTHORIZING, AUTHENTICATING

AND ACCOUNTING USERS HAVING TRANSPARENT COMPUTER ACCESS TO A

NETWORK USING A GATEWAY

DEVICE

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT OF DECEMBER 8, 2010

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement of December 8, 2010 in the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.